



Secure Commonwealth Panel

July 08, 2014 – Richmond

Welcoming Remarks

Brian Moran, Chair, opened the meeting and thanked all for their attendance.

Introductions were made by the panel.

Update: Recurrent Coastal Flooding Sub Panel

Jim Redick, Sub Panel Co-Chair, provided an update on the Recurrent Coastal Flooding Plan.

Secretary Moran asked how vulnerabilities would be ranked. Jim Redick told the panel that his team is trying to put that together for prioritization.

A question was asked how the ICS system deals with barriers regarding proprietary information. Jim Redick told the panel that they have not run into any issues within the private sector because it is protecting their assets as well. Localities should begin their preparation effort. The ICS system is a framework in place with an Incident Commander who can set forth actions and hold agencies accountable.

Update: Health and Human Resources Sub Panel

Dr. Dave Trump, Chief Deputy Commissioner, provided the panel with an update and reminder that infectious diseases do pose a risk to the Commonwealth. Dr. Trump told the panel that there has been communication with physicians regarding the annual attention of influenza H-7 and H-9. There are concerns for Ebola and East Respiratory Virus, which are being discussed with the health community.

Bob Mauskopf, Director of Emergency Preparedness for the Virginia Department of Health, told the panel that issues of concern with emergency planning are communications and interoperability.

Public Safety and Homeland Security Integration

Adam Thiel, Deputy Secretary of Public Safety and Homeland Security, briefed the panel members on the integration of Homeland Security into Public Safety. Deputy Thiel provided the panel with information on projects and programs that are being funded within Homeland Security.

Closing Remarks

Secretary Moran adjourned the meeting.